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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)		Docket Number 180042.418C2																		
Application Number 09/654,116		Filed August 30, 2001																		
For GROWTH BLOCKING AGENTS																				
Art Unit 1645	Examiner Patricia A. Duffy, Ph.D.																			
<p>This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.</p> <p>The requested extension and fee are as follows (check time period desired and enter the appropriate fee below):</p> <table><thead><tr><th></th><th><u>Fee</u></th><th><u>Small Entity Fee</u></th></tr></thead><tbody><tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))</td><td>\$110</td><td>\$55</td></tr><tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))</td><td>\$430</td><td>\$215</td></tr><tr><td><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))</td><td>\$980</td><td>\$490</td></tr><tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))</td><td>\$1530</td><td>\$765</td></tr><tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))</td><td>\$2080</td><td>\$1040</td></tr></tbody></table> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number <u>19-1090</u>. I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.</p> <p>WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.</p>				<u>Fee</u>	<u>Small Entity Fee</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))	\$110	\$55	<input type="checkbox"/> Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))	\$430	\$215	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))	\$980	\$490	<input type="checkbox"/> Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))	\$1530	\$765	<input type="checkbox"/> Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))	\$2080	\$1040
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I am the applicant/inventor.

assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71
Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed (Form PTO/SB/96).

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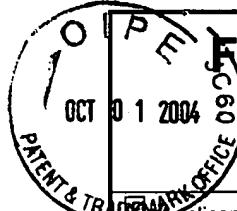
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FEE TRANSMITTAL for FY 2005

Patent fees are subject to annual revision.

Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$ 490)

Complete if Known	
Application Number	09/654,116
Filing Date	August 30, 2000
First Named Inventor	A. Charles Morgan, Jr.
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Art Unit	1645
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FEE CALCULATION

1. BASIC FILING FEE

Large Entity	Fee	Fee (\$)	Small Entity	Fee	Fee Description	Fee Paid
Code		Code	Code			
1001	790	2001	395	Utility filing fee		
1002	350	2002	175	Design filing fee		
1003	550	2003	275	Plant filing fee		
1004	790	2004	395	Reissue filing fee		
1005	160	2005	80	Provisional filing fee		
SUBTOTAL (1) (\$)						

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE

Total Claims	-**	=	Extra Claims	*	Fee from below	=	Fee Paid
Independent Claims	-**	=		*		=	
Multiple Dependent	-**	=		*		=	

Large Entity	Fee	Fee (\$)	Small Entity	Fee	Fee Description	
Code		Code	Code			
1202	18	2202	9	Claims in excess of 20		
1201	88	2201	44	Independent claims in excess of 3		
1203	300	2203	150	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid		
1204	88	2204	44	** Reissue independent claims over original patent		
1205	18	2205	9	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent		
SUBTOTAL (2) (\$)						

**or number previously paid, if greater; For Reissues, see above

FEE CALCULATION (continued)						
3. ADDITIONAL FEES		Large Entity		Small Entity		
Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Description		Fee Paid
1051	130	2051	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath		
1052	50	2052	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet		
1053	130	1053	130	Non-English specification		
1812	2520	1812	2520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination		
1804	920*	1804	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action		
1805	1840*	1805	1840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action		
1251	110	2251	55	Extension for reply within first month		
1252	430	2252	215	Extension for reply within second month		
1253	980	2253	490	Extension for reply within third month		490
1254	1530	2254	765	Extension for reply within fourth month		
1255	2080	2255	1040	Extension for reply within fifth month		
1401	340	2401	170	Notice of Appeal		
1402	340	2402	170	Filing a brief in support of an appeal		
1403	300	2403	150	Request for oral hearing		
1451	1510	1451	1510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding		
1452	110	2452	55	Petition to revive – unavoidable		
1453	1370	2453	685	Petition to revive – unintentional		
1501	1370	2501	685	Utility issue fee (or reissue)		
1502	490	2502	245	Design issue fee		
1503	660	2503	330	Plant issue fee		
1460	130	1460	130	Petitions to the Commissioner		
1807	50	1807	50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)		
1806	180	1806	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt		
8021	40	8021	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)		
1809	790	2809	395	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))		
1810	790	2810	395	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))		
1801	790	2801	395	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)		
1802	900	1802	900	Request for expedited examination of a design application		
Other fee (specify) _____						
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